ABSTRACT

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A FEED METERING DEVICE

A feed metering device (1, 2, 3, 4, 5) for distributing fodder and/or drink in metered portions to an animal. The feed metering device (1, 2, 3, 4, 5) is provided with a feed unit (10, 20, 30, 40, 50) for containing fodder and/or drink. An entrance opening (11, 2, 31, 41, 51) gives access to the feed unit. A feed supplying device (13, 23, 33, 43) supplies an amount of fodder and/or drink to the feed unit (10, 20, 30, 40, 50). There are provided means for weighing the fodder and/or drink present in the feed unit (10, 20, 30, 40, 50), the feed unit (10, 20, 30, 40, 50) being pivotably and/or rotatably fastened to the feed metering device (1, 2, 3, 4, 5,) for the purpose of co-operating with the weighing means. There are further provided means for deterring an animal that visits the feed unit from taking fodder and/or drink.

(Figure 1)